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Serial Nos. Three

Part B for ~~August 19~~ Sept 1918

SUBJECT.

Exemption of State European British
Officers from Military Service under the
D. D. Act.

W D 1250—GPB—30,000—28-1-19

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File No. 289-17

FILE HEADING.

Exemption of State European British Officers from military service under the I. D. Act

From The First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

DO. No. 3667 Dated 23. 5. 1918 Received 23-5-1918

Diary No. 9391	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 408

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards copy of the Madras Govt order No. 265 dy 21-3-1918 modifying the rule regarding the exemption to the Police & jail officers liable to Military service under the Indian Defence Force Act and requesting that the Hon'ble the Resident be informed if the Durbar are prepared to issue similar orders in regard the corresponding officers the State.

DO Pol. No. 1112 dy 23-5-18 to the First Asst to Resident, Acknowledges the receipt of the above.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Following the principle of the rules which hitherto prevailed in British India officers in the Police & jail Depts of the State liable to military service under the Indian Defence Force Act were granted total exemption from military service by the "Exemption Tribunal"

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WD 1232—GPB—20,000—18-11-16

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The Dewan's Do. Dy. 6-2-1918 addressed to the Hon'ble the Resident furnished the list of officers employed in the Police & Jail Depts. and enumerates the names of those in whose cases total exemption is considered absolutely necessary and the others who may be called upon ~~to be~~ to undergo training

3 Dr. is for consideration whether any order shd issue as suggested by the first Asst. Resident ~~is~~ is necessary ~~since~~ in view of the fact that Govt are prepared to let such of the officers as may be selected from the list furnished, to undergo training in musketry etc contemplated by the modified rules of the Madras Govt.

Subd for orders

27/5/18

4 A Communication has been sent to the Residency to the effect that some of the Police officers in the State require total exemption and that the others may be made available for local service and given training therefor.

5 The suggestion made in the letter under disposal is that an order may be issued that the Police officers should be granted ~~exemption~~

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Local Contractual exemption but that they would be liable to perform Local Military Service as members of the Indian Defence Force and required to undergo Musketry training.
Chatterji

WJ 28/5/18

6 Please consult 29 police in advance.

CM
29/5/18

U-093-17 of 29-5-18.

7 Forwarded with compliments to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore for favour of his opinion.

By order
G Bramiah
29/5 for Chief Secretary to Govt

8 I think that orders may be issued by Govt on the same lines as in Madras provided that it is clearly understood that in the case of officers Employers in substantive whose there are no facilities for local musketry training are also in respect of officers who cannot attend the training without prejudice to their ordinary civil duties. They

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will be exempted from attendance at Camps and from musketry training in the exercise of the powers vested in the General Officer Commanding (vide para 4 of the Madras Govt. order)

D S Swamy Iyer
29/5/18

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GENERAL
31 MAY. 1918

9 Subd for orders. Ref: para 6.
M
31/5/18

Chief Secy

Pl 31/5/18

10 Please draft orders

CRS
1/6/18

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11 Subd with a draft Do.
M
5/6/18

Chief Secy

Pl 5/6/18

12 Draft may be approved

1st member
Dewan

CRS
6/6/18

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13 Issued
7/6

Pl 7/6/18

14 May issue.
10.6.18

Issued
Pl 12/6/18 CRS 12/6/18

Put up. Hd
7/6

Place the draft

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10.6.18

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42 DO No. Pol. 1178 dt. 12th June 1918. To Major James First Asst. to the Resident informing him that the Durbar are prepared to pass orders on the lines the Madras Govt. order No. 2658 dt. the 21st March 1918. regarding the issue of Conditional Certificates of exemption from Military Training.

Sub.

5 More than 2 months have elapsed and no reference has been received from the Residency on the subject.

6 Submitted for orders if these may be recorded.

8/5/18.

7 Yes. If any Communication is received from the Residency further action may then be taken.

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For further correspondence see P.R. 4 of 18.

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D. O. No. 366

BANGALORE.

23rd May 1918

Dear Mr. Balasundaram Iyer,

Please refer to the correspondence ending with Sir M. Visvesvaraya's D.O. letter No. 5469, dated the 6th February 1918, regarding the liability of European officers of the Mysore State to military service under the Indian Defence Force Act.

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In enclosing a copy of the latest order issued by the Madras Government on the subject of exempting Police and Jail officers, I am to request that you will be so good as to let the Hon'ble the Resident know, for the information of the Military authorities, whether or no the Durbar are prepared to issue similar orders in regard to the corresponding officers of the state. I am to add that the Police officers in Coorg and in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore have, under the Resident and Chief Commissioner's orders, been undergoing

x. No.265, dated 21st March 1918.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Public Department.

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G.O. No. 265, 21st March 1918.

Indian Defence Force Act, 1917.

Requesting the Inspectors-General of Police and Prisons to move the Exemption Tribunals to withdraw certificates of absolute exemption issued to Police and Jail officers who come within the scope of the - and authorising the Inspectors-General to issue conditional certificate in lieu thereof under section 11 (2) of the Act.

READ - the following papers:-

I

G.O.No. 443, Public, dated 18th April 1917.

Abstract.- Issuing revised instructions to all Collectors in regard to the applications for exemption of Government servants from military service under the Indian Defence Force Act III of 1917 and the rules framed thereunder.

II

MEMORANDUM FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ARMY DEPARTMENT, No.8769, DATED SIMLA, THE 14th JUNE 1917.

In pursuance of section 11, sub-section (2), of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the issue to all persons serving in the Indian Police Force, other than those serving in the North-West Frontier Province, who are under the said Act deemed to be enrolled for general military service, of conditional certificates of exemption from such service.

2. Every such certificate shall be issued by, or under the authority of, the Local Government or Administration concerned, and shall be subject to the following conditions, which shall be set out in the certificate, namely:-

(1) The holder of the certificate shall be liable to perform local military service as a member of the Indian Defence Force.

(ii) If the holder of the certificate ceases to serve in the

the Indian Police Force, the certificate shall be inoperative with effect from the date on which he ceases so to serve.

Sd. A. H. Bingley, Major-General,
Secretary to the Government of India.

III

MEMORANDUM FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, ARMY DEPARTMENT, No.8770, DATED SIMLA, THE 14th JUNE 1917.

In pursuance of section 11, sub-section (2), of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the issue to all persons serving in the Indian Jails Department, who are under the said Act deemed to be enrolled for general military service, of conditional certificates of exemption from such service.

2. Every such certificate shall be issued by, or under the authority of, the Local Government or Administration concerned, and shall be subject to the following conditions, which shall be set out in the certificate, namely:-

(i) The holder of the certificate shall be liable to perform local military service as a member of the Indian Defence Force.

(ii) If the holder of the certificate ceases to serve in the Indian Jails Department, the certificate shall be inoperative with effect from the date on which he ceases so to serve.

Sd. A. H. Bingley, Major-General,
Secretary to the Government of India.

IV

G.O.No. 91, Public, dated 23rd January 1918.

Abstract.- Recording papers relating to the question of the liability of the Police and Jail officers to military training in the Indian Defence Force.

V

Letter - from the General Officer Commanding, 9th (Secunderabad) Division.
To - The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Dated - Bangalore, the 26th January 1918.
No. - 10480/13/C.S.

VI

Letter - from the Hon'ble Mr. L. Davidson, C.S.I., I.C.S., Acting

Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
To - the General Officer Commanding, 9th (Secunderabad) Division,
Dated - Fort St. George, the 1st February 1918.
No. - 255-1, Public.

VII

Letter - from the General Officer Commanding, 9th (Secunderabad) Division.
To - the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Dated - Bangalore, the 2nd March 1918.
No. - 10480/15/C.S.

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Order - No. 265, Public, dated 21st March 1918.

Under paragraph 2 of G.O. No. 443, Public, dated 18th April 1917, all gazetted and non-gazetted officers of the Police and Jail department who come within the scope of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, are understood to be in possession of certificates of absolute exemption from training as well as general and local service. At the instance of the Government of India and in communication with the General Officer Commanding, 9th Division, it has since been decided to arrange for the withdrawal of such absolute certificates and to issue in lieu thereof conditional certificates under section 11 (2) of the Act in accordance with the Memoranda from the Government of India, Army Department, Nos. 8769 and 8770, dated Simla, the 14th June 1917, read at the head of these proceedings.

2. The Inspectors-General of Police and Prisons are accordingly requested to arrange with the Collectors concerned to move the Exemption Tribunals under section 11 (3) of the Act to withdraw certificates of absolute exemption issued to Police and Jail officers with reference to paragraph 2 of G.O. No.443, Public, dated 18th April 1917.

3. Simultaneously with such withdrawal the Inspectors-General are themselves authorized to issue conditional certificates in the following form:-

In pursuance of the orders of the Governor-General in Council under section 11 (2) of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, and with the authority of the Government of Madras, A.B. is hereby exempted from general military service under the said Act subject to the following conditions:-

(i) He should be liable to perform local Military service as a member of the Indian Defence Force.

(ii) If he ceases to serve in the Indian ~~Police~~ Jail Force, this certificate shall be inoperative from the date on which he ceases so to serve.

These documents should be headed "Certificate of exemption issued under section 11 (2) of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917," and signed by the Inspector General of ~~Police~~ Prisons.

No. 2dd, Public, 21st March 1918.

4. The officers who are affected by this order will merely be required to undergo musketry training. The Gneral Officer Commanding, 9th Division, has undertaken, in exercise of the discretionary powers vested in him by the Training Regulations issued under section 15 of the Act, to exempt such officers from liability to attendance at camps and from the performance of the prescribed preliminary and periodical training other than training in musketry. He will also grant special exemptions from musketry training in cases where this cannot be performed without undue interference with the discharge of the officer's civil functions.

Sd. L. Davidson,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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No. G.-G.-Pol. 1112

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

Date of issue 23. 5. 1918

Dear Sir

Signed by C. S. Balasundram

Iyer

I ~~am directed~~ write to acknowledge the receipt of your communication noted in the margin and to state that the matter referred to therein ~~will~~ to receive early attention.

DO. No. 3667 date 23. May 1918.

Subject Liability of European officers of the Mysore State to Military Service under the Indian Defence Force act.

I have etc.,

23/5/18

for *Secretary to Government.*

Re. Conditional exemption from Military training to Officers of the Police and Jail Depts. as are liable to be called on To for Military service under D.D.9. Act.

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D.O. Pol No 1178

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The First Assistant Resident. 12/6/18

Fm 289-17-47

Dear Major James

In reply to your D. O. letter No. 3667 dated the 23rd May 1918, I am desired to state that the Durbar are prepared to pass orders on the lines of the Madras Government Order No. 265 dated the 21st March 1918 regarding the issue of condi - tional certificates of exemption to such of the officers of the Police and Jail Departments of the State as are liable to be called on for Military Service under the Indian Defence Force Act, provided that, exemption for attendance at Camps and Musketry training is granted in exercise of the powers vested in the General Officer Commanding the 9th Division under para 4 of the Madras Government Order to such of them as are employed in outstations where there are no facilities for local musketry training, and also to officers who cannot attend such training without undue inter- ference with their civil functions.

Yours sincerely,

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6/6/18

Chief Secretary to Government.

11/6/18